

Proposed Bill No. 360

January Session, 2009

LCO No. 2339

Referred to Committee on Labor and Public Employees

Introduced by: SEN. MAYNARD, 18th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING EMPLOYMENT OF INDIVIDUALS WITH AUTISM.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That chapter 31 of the general statutes be amended to establish a
- 2 hiring preference or enact employer incentives for businesses that hire
- 3 individuals on the autism spectrum who have received specific state-
- 4 funded training or education benefits.

Statement of Purpose:

To encourage the employment of individuals on the autism spectrum who have received state-funded training or educational benefits.